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## PLAIN DRY FACTS

We have recently purchased the Richards & Co. Shoe Stock, amounting to nearly \$15,000 at a good liberal discount from factory cost. This stock is all fresh and new, the firm having been in the shoe business only one year, and is made up almost entirely of first-class custom made goods. This purchase certainly places us in a position to sell shoes for less than any concern who has paid regular prices for their goods, and

### We will Do It.

This is a plain statement of the facts without any circus bill or patent medicine exaggeration and it will pay you to look into it at once.

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In our Clothing Department.

J. H. ANDERSON & CO.

## Great Slipper Sale.

We have put on sale every pair of slippers in our house.

You can buy them at Prices to suit you.

Slippers can be worn for three months yet. Come to this sale and be convinced that we cannot be undersold by anybody.

PETREE & CO.

## Public Appreciation

Nerves our efforts and we are showing our appreciation by the prices we are making.

## If It Is High Class

Goods you are thinking of, link us with your thoughts, and we will convince you that the best is not to good, if prices are right.

## Remember

That we can show you any thing you may need in Harness, saddles, blankets, collars, Back bands, hames, chains, etc., and an elegant line of Lap Dusters.

We carry the LARGEST stock and give LOWEST prices.

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207 South Main.

## CREAM OF NEWS.

IF IT IS NEW AND TRUE THIS COLUMN HAS IT.

Parker & Blodman—Cooley Arrested—Dr. Settle to Leave—Caulfield's Victory—List of Teachers—Schools.

Victory For Caulfield.

Judge Brethitt said at 11 o'clock Saturday that Clerk Caulfield, of the Penitentiary, was wrongfully removed.

Irvin Cooley, Jr., Arrested.

Irvin Cooley, Jr., was arrested Saturday and put in jail on a charge of obtaining money under false pretenses from Mrs. Watkins, col.

Wanted in Illinois.

A man named Lear, charged with stealing \$35 from a man in McLeanboro, Ill., was arrested Friday in McLeanboro county by Sheriff Hill of that county.

First of the Schools.

Hopkinsville High school will open the fall session to day with good prospects for a full boarding department. This is the first of the schools to open. The public schools begin next week.

Brooke Kennedy Loses a Horse.

The livery stables of Carney & Keys and Will Shetton were burned at Mayfield one night last week and fifteen horses perished. Among them was one belonging to Mr. W. B. Kennedy, who was visiting in this city at the time.

Assignment at Crofton.

David Bourland, a merchant at Crofton, made an assignment Friday to John M. Dulin. His liabilities are about \$14,000. Most of the creditors are eastern wholesale merchants. The assignment was brought on by Mr. Bourland's failure to secure a settlement of the loss sustained by the fire that destroyed his store about three months ago.

Hindman and Parker.

Mr. A. Parker, Populist candidate for Clerk of the Court of Appeals, has announced an appointment to speak in this city on Sept. 8. As Hindman, the Bolotropic nominee for the same office, also has a date here for Sept. 8, it is probable that his discussion will be on a subject of fair, unless Hindman refuses to accept a division of time. Mr. Parker has invited all of his opponents to meet him, but Hindman is the only one who will be present.

Woman Burned to Death.

One of the boarding cars on the L. & N. siding, between Green and Ingram streets, burned yesterday afternoon about 2:30 o'clock. Mrs. John Cooper was so badly burned that death resulted from her burns about supper time yesterday evening. She was engaged in making a fire in the stove for the purpose of preparing for supper, when from some means the car caught fire as well as her dress. Hindman Gleaner.

Dr. Settle to Leave.

Dr. H. C. Settle's friends here are very sorry that it will be necessary for the Conference that meets next month to assign him to some new field. Dr. Settle has been here four years, and no pastor has ever given him a field of labor in this Methodist faction. His health was somewhat impaired for a time last year, but it is now fully restored and better than it has been for years. Dr. Settle is one of the ablest ministers of the Methodist denomination and the church that secures him in the coming assignment will be indeed fortunate.

Brenton Crime at Guthrie.

One of the most brutal outrages ever committed in Todd county is charged against Charley Ramey, a young farmer whose father, Walter Ramey, lives near Hampton Station.

It is said that young Ramey while on his way home from the Camp meeting at Greenup, on Saturday night, and when he was on a short distance from Guthrie, he hauled the young lady from the buggy and deliberately and brutally outraged her. The young girl is said to have been painfully injured, but managed to find her way home while her husband was in the way. He is a fugitive on Justice. Miss Hicks is a daughter of John Hicks, a respectable citizen who resides on the farm of Mr. William Ware, and is only about fifteen years of age.

There is a considerable feeling at Guthrie that the other officers and friends of the young woman are on the lookout for the brutal assailant, and should he be caught, Judge Lynch is likely to hold a session of court in the vicinity of Guthrie—Elkton Times.

Mrs. Julia Ward Howe and Mrs. Jefferson Davis appealed to the Pope and to the Queen Regent in behalf of a Cuban girl about to be sent to the dungeon.

## DEMOCRATS MIGHTY SCARCE.

Election Officers Named—Only 41 Democrats and 3 Populists—48 White Republicans, 17 Negroes and 13 Biotocots.

The officers of election were appointed for the ensuing year by judge Brethitt Saturday and the list appears below.

Democrats in the list are few and far between, there being in the list of 112 only 38 Democrats and 2 Populists, while there are 57 Republicans, 17 of them negroes, and 15 Biotocots.

In the four city precincts, out of 16 officers only three are Democrats who are known to have supported the Democratic ticket last year and who are for the ticket this year. In order that the public may understand the unfairness of the list, we give herewith the law governing the appointment of officers.

## FROM THE ELECTION LAW.

See 1447—Officers of Election Appointment and Qualification.

"Each county court shall annually, at the August term thereof, appoint in each election precinct two judges, to act as such in the election, to be chosen by the qualified voters of the precinct for which they are appointed and qualified, and so long as there are two distinct political parties in this Commonwealth, the party which is in power shall have the election by the people under the constitution and laws of this State, and under the constitution and laws of this State, SHALL BE SO SELECTED and appointed as that one of the JUDGES at each place of voting SHALL BE of one political party, and the other judge of the other or proposed political party, and the like distinction shall be observed in each place of voting between the sheriff and clerk of elections. Provided, that there be a sufficient number of persons of each political party resident in the several precincts to fill said offices."

## The List of Officers.

Names of Democrats known to be such, and Populists, appear in small caps. Of the other 32 about 15 were Democrats until last year. They are known to have voted against the Dem ticket, but whether for the McKinley or Palmer is not known in this case.

Hopkinsville, No. 1—Alex Campbell and H. E. Wiley, judges; W. W. Wicks, sheriff; ALEX. WALLACE, clerk. Hopkinsville, No. 2—G. W. Wiley and F. S. MEACHAM, judges; George Younglove, sheriff; R. N. LANDER, col. clerk.

Hopkinsville, No. 3—J. B. DADE, and L. A. Moore, judges; J. W. Major, col. sheriff; LUCIUS DAVIS, clerk.

Hopkinsville, No. 4—W. F. Garnett and J. A. TWYMAN, judges; S. H. Harrison, sheriff; J. T. EDMUND, clerk.

Campbell, No. 5—MARLOW JOHNSON and T. A. ANDERSON, judges; W. S. WITTY, sheriff; CRAS. W. H. COOPER, clerk.

Pulmuya, No. 6—F. H. Renshaw and E. R. ELLIOTT, judges; James Phelps, sheriff; G. L. Campbell, clerk.

Lougeview, No. 7—L. O. GARRETT and Isaac Gaines, col. judges; W. M. ALLEN, sheriff; Sam McKey, clerk.

Beverly, No. 8—A. E. WOOD and Lafayette Jennings, col. judges; Gabe Pollard, sheriff; G. V. DONNELL, clerk.

Casky, No. 9—T. WATSON and Jim Anglin, col. judges; Sylvester Lewis, col. sheriff; MA. WINFREE, clerk.

Gordonfield, No. 10—John M. Barker and Jim Peal, col. judges; D. W. Pettis, col. sheriff; Ed. PAYTON, clerk.

South Pembroke, No. 11—R. R. Lloyd and H. L. Trice, judges; R. L. Moore, sheriff; Peter PAYTON, clerk.

Bell and S. M. WILLIAMS, judges; Aaron Smart, col. sheriff; R. H. HENRY, clerk.

Cricket, No. 12—G. B. STARLING and H. B. COOPER, judges; J. W. WOOD, sheriff; J. J. HANCOCK, clerk.

North Pembroke, No. 13—R. Y. PENDERLOEN and J. W. CROSS, judges; S. R. DRIVER, col. sheriff; R. L. CHURCH, clerk.

Edwards Mill, No. 16—W. A. REED and John Willis, col. judges; H. E. BOYD, col. sheriff; G. W. WINFREE, clerk.

Perry's School House, No. 17—S. T. FRUIT and M. A. FRITZ, judges; THOS. A. HORN, sheriff; W. E. ELLIOTT, clerk.

Lafayette, No. 18—Q. A. ELLIOTT, sheriff; H. C. LOCKER, judges; Richard Harrison, sheriff; WALTER GARNER, clerk.

Bennettsboro, No. 19—J. A. BORN and Zack JORDAN, col. judges; W. B. Pace, sheriff; DICK POLLARD, clerk.

Holloway, No. 20—William TURNER, col. and George H. Major, judges; Abner WOOD, sheriff; Harry WOOD, clerk.

West Crofton, No. 21—H. C. BISHOP and R. P. MORIS, judges; Gus BOWLING, sheriff; JULIAN BOYCE, clerk.

East School House, No. 22—W. R. RENSHAW and J. B. CANSLER, judges; J. D. KEARNS, clerk.

## DOLLAR A BUSHEL.

SOME BIG SALES MADE HERE AT THAT FIGURE.

The Top Notch Realized Saturday. Followed by a Break of Four Cents Yesterday.

Chicago, Ill., Aug. 23.—Wheat opened at 98½ and after fluctuating a good deal settled down to 95½ at the close. The large amount of wheat sold at Saturday's dollar mark caused the break to-day.

Chicago, Aug. 21.—"Dollar wheat" was reached on the Chicago Board of Trade to-day. The floor and galleries of the big Exchange hall were packed with a howling mob, in which were distinguished the cries of the vanquished and the exultant yells of the victorious.

When September wheat reached \$1 the bulls howled with delight and allowed some wheat to change hands. The price sagged then for a time. With the sounding of the second closing song, when the most sensational day since 1891 closed, September wheat had dropped to 93½ a bushel. The bulls did not have a brass band present to mark the advance in wheat, but they celebrated in a manner that would have put the best trombone blower to shame.

OVER A DOLLAR IN NEW YORK.

New York, Aug. 21.—Wheat bulls added about five cents a bushel to the dollar mark attained yesterday, and are now out half foot for \$1.25 a bushel in the New York market.

At the first stroke of the gong September wheat went up to \$1.02, then down to \$1.01½ at the same instant. The price was then held. The number of buyers fought vigorously among themselves to get possession of the few lots offered, and quickly bid the price up to \$1.03 by rapid strides of one half cent or more a clip.

DOLLAR WHEAT AT LEXINGTON.

Lexington, Ky., Aug. 21.—Wheat sold here this afternoon at \$1 per bushel. Farmers who sold early in the season at 90 to 95 cents are greatly chagrined.

WILD EXCITEMENT.

Philadelphia, August 21.—Wheat reached \$1.07 here to-day. Wild excitement prevails.

LOCAL PRICE STILL \$1.00.

Dollar wheat was reached in this city Saturday and about 60,000 bushels, according to the estimate of well informed buyers, changed hands at that figure. Among those who sold for a dollar were W. T. Cooper and others, 17,000 bushels; J. Reed, 2,000; P. W. Baker and H. L. LEWELL, 1,000; S. R. BOYD and others. At Pembroke Radford and Nance also made a sale of 13,000 bushels. Many farmers were in town and there was a general disposition to hold the dollar price for which the crop has been held.

Yesterday the market opened at less than a dollar, broke to nearly 95 and then rallied to only 75 cents. Some light sales were made in the city at a dollar. If the price stays at less than a dollar, it will be sold at the low opening prices, about one-fourth of the crop having passed out of the hands of the farmers before the price advanced.

Fenton Sims and Bill Reed.

Col. Fenton Sims and Bill Reed had a round of repartee at the court house Saturday. Col. Sims had just finished one of his lengthy speeches in a civil cause. Mr. Reed, attorney on the other side, then arose to reply. He said he had no desire to speak a speech, but if he had to, he would send Col. Sims to jail for making such a speech as he had just finished. Col. Sims said he would have no objection provided Mr. Reed waited until the people elected a new judge, and then sent him down the house. The judge replied loudly to the applause. As soon as the tumult had subsided Mr. Reed said if he had failed as often as Col. Sims in the effort to make a circuit judge, he would not think of speaking lightly of any other lawyer, and he did not think he would.

The crowd laughed again and even the judge could not suppress a broad smile—Murray Ledger.

Robbers Get Roast.

Charlottesville, Tenn., Aug. 21.—Tolbert Ingram, a newspaper man, was held up by a masked robber last night on one of the city's principal streets. He was pulled into an alley and his money taken. The identity of the robber is unknown, but it is thought he was a professional. He refused to take Ingram's watch with a draw knife.

J. D. Keenrich, of Garrettsburg, Ky., a planter, was robbed on the streets at 10 o'clock last night of \$10 by a negro, it is supposed.

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TUESDAY, AUG. 24, 1897.

### DEMOCRATIC TICKET.

CLERK COURT OF APPEALS.—SAM J. STACKARD, OF DAVIES.

COURT JUDGE.—THOMAS P. COOK OF CLOWAY.

COUNCILMAN'S ATTORNEY.—W. R. HOWELL, OF CHRISTIAN.

COUNTY JUDGE.—JAS. K. FORBES.

COUNTY ATTY.—FRANK RIVES.

SHERIFF.—THOS. J. D. DUNN.

ASSISTANT.—JAS. G. LANCEY.

CLERK.—SAMUEL U. CLARDY.

COURT CLERK.—ALBERT KELLY.

COUNTY CLERK.—C. D. BELL.

SHERIFF.—H. B. CRUNK.

JAILER.—L. L. NICHOLS.

REPRESENTATIVE.—JNO. C. DUFFY.

FOR CITY COUNCILMEN.

FIRST WARD.—R. H. HOLLOWAY.

SECOND WARD.—JAS. D. WARE.

THIRD WARD.—DENNIS PERRY.

FOURTH WARD.—JED D. DALTON.

FIFTH WARD.—E. W. WALKER.

SIXTH WARD.—J. T. WALL.

SEVENTH WARD.—L. T. BRASHER.

MAGISTRATES.

S. HOPKINNSVILLE.—S. G. BUCKNER.

PEMBROKE.—W. L. PARKER.

LONGVIEW.—THOS. M. BARKER.

LAFAYETTE.—J. F. DIXON.

FRUIT HILL.—DAVID SMITH.

SCATES' MILL.—T. P. DUNNING.

UNION S. H.—W. KING.

CONSTABLES.

S. HOPKINNSVILLE.—H. WEST.

PEMBROKE.—BEN CARROLL.

LONGVIEW.—BEN WILLIAMS.

LAFAYETTE.—FRANK RIVES.

FRUIT HILL.—JOHN WALKER.

SCATES' MILL.—JOHN W. P. POOL.

Mr. J. T. Wilson has accepted a call to become a Democratic candidate for State Senator in the Hender-

son district.

A hitch has occurred in the scheme to consolidate the five Central Ameri-

can republics next month and the plan may fall through.

Dan O'Sullivan has declined the offer from a New York paper and will resume publication of the Critic next week.

There is no law prohibiting wheat from being made into flour. That's why wheat is up. There is a law pro-

hibiting silver from being coined into money. That's why silver is down.

Editor Oldham, of Elkhorn, an-

nounces that he will pay no further

attention to the banner, and peace,

gentle peace, now reigns once more in two great countries.

The Hopkinsville Kentuckian

turned out a beautiful illustrated

trade edition last week. It was a

credit to the town and the journal

that issued it.—Grayson Gazette.

A white tramp who outraged a woman in a suburb of Chicago was promptly surrounded in a corn-field and shot to death by the neighboring farmers. The "unwritten law" is not always confined to the South.

County fairs affect different papers in different ways. For instance the Madisonville Hustler will celebrate its fair week by issuing a daily, and the Shepherdsville Pioneer will skip the week and give all its employees a chance to put in a full week at the fair.

The Democrats of Trigg county are very much afraid that Whenuell Buck will fail to show up at Cadiz next Monday and get under Ollie James' pile-driver. If he will only come up to the tick-lick the Democrats will see that each of the twenty-eight Palmettes in Trigg county is provided with a rocking chair inside the bar, where they can get the full benefit of the skinning their imported champion will get.

Col. John O. Hodges, of Lexington, who died last week, was one of the best known newspaper men in the State. He had grown gray in the profession he loved and his death will be sincerely regretted by the members of the fraternity all over the State. Col. Hodges was the moving spirit in the great entertainment given the press association at Lexington in 1892, while by the way was the best meeting ever held by the K. P. A. He endeared himself to all of the "boys," and in the big banquet at the Phoenix Hotel proved himself to be one of the most accomplished toast-masters in the State.

The first step towards another unusual election in Hopkinsville has been taken by the appointment of sixteen election officers, only four of whom are supporters of the Democratic ticket. In two precincts the Democratic city ticket is absolutely without either Judge or sheriff that control the election of four wards and parts of two others. Many of these officers should at once be instituted by the city council to form a committee with the law, at least in the appointment of city election officers. Judge James Breathitt, before whom the case would come, being a candidate, would doubtless be willing to get off the bench and let some disinterested lawyer construe the law. A lawful board is all the Democrats want, and a lawful board they should have, or get a decision that would apply to the whole district. If there are to be fraudulent and partisan boards, let the other counties of the judicial district understand that fact. The same cause should be used on both sides and gender.

Nearly every Baptist Association that has met this year has condemned Dr. Whitfield for upholding doctrines opposed to Baptist teachings. He is at the head of a denominational school for the instruction of Baptist ministers, and Baptists all over the country do not believe he is a proper head for such an institution as the Southern Theological Seminary. Dr. Whitfield would be ousted but for the fact that the trustees who elected him are a self-perpetuating body who can not be removed by the General Association. Dr. Whitfield, backed by the trustees, refuses to resign and Baptists have no recourse but to withdraw their support from the institution over which he presides.

"If the new superintendent of the State Asylum, when he proposes to devote his work to the betterment of the institution and the alleviation of the unfortunate inmates, he was appointed about a year too late. Petty spites and factions have torn up nearly every charitable institution in the State."—Owensboro Messenger.

It must be said to the credit of Dr. Gardner, of the Hopkinsville Asylum, that he seems to be making an honest effort to restore the institution to the position it formerly occupied under the Democratic administration. There have been many improvements noted since he took hold of it.

The full name of the king of Siam, who is coming to America on a visit, is Somdet Phra Marumon Maha Chulalongkorn, Patindra, Mahamongkut, Parimisarit, Raja Rovong, Waran Mahromongk Paribut, Warakhatthira, Ra Jai Nikara Tame Chaturatana, Parana, Maha Chakrubar, Tira, Guasukas, Parumadham, Mika, Maha Rajad Hirna Park Mauarethi Pabite Phra Chula Chomklau Chuu Yu Hua.

The wheat crop of Kentucky is estimated at 11,000,000 bushels, 1,000,000 of it in Christian county. The size of 40 cents means \$4,400,000 to Kentucky and \$400,000 to Christian county. It is true this price is fixed by starvation in other lands, but it is an wind that blows nobody good. We have the wheat to sell and others must have it and speculators, have so far been unable to keep the price from adjusting itself to the great law of supply and demand.

One of the issues in the race for sheriff in Livingston county is whether 749 or 467 delinquents were returned by the tax collector last year. As there are only 2,720 voters in the county, either showing is bad enough to prove that one man of every five in the county is too poor to pay his taxes.

The Cincinnati Enquirer, speaking of last year's campaign, says:

"Two superannuated and straddling politicians made themselves ridiculous in American political history, for the benefit of the gold speculators."

Can anybody guess who they were?

HOW'S THAT?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Cataract that can not be cured by Hall's Cataract Cure, F. J. CHENEY, & CO., Prop., Toledo, O.

We the undersigned, have known P. Cleeny for the past 15 years, and he has been perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligations made by him.

West & Tracy, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O.

WALDNO. KINNAN & MARVIN, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, Ohio. Hall's Cataract Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and uncrossed surfaces of the eye system. Price 75c per bottle. Sold by all Druggists. Testimonials free. Hall's Family Pills are the best.

## Carbuncles

Appeared Each Season Until Blood Was Purified With Hood's Sarsaparilla.—An Indolent Ulcer.

"For use in Carbuncles. It is composed with carbuncles on my left side and back. They would disappear in winter and return the next summer. I began taking Hood's Sarsaparilla and have never had any carbuncles since. My little son had a fever and an indolent ulcer appeared on his left limb. I applied a poultice around the carbuncle and recommended a blood purifier and I gave the boy Hood's Sarsaparilla with gratifying results." G. B. JACKS, Polkville, Miss.

"I have been a great sufferer from muscular rheumatism and in October began taking Hood's Sarsaparilla. I continued to use it until January when I could go about as well as any one and I have had no sores since." I. W. MINNICK, Grand Isle, Louisiana.

Hood's Sarsaparilla

Is sold by all druggists. Price \$1.00 for 50.

Hood's Pills are the only pills to take

with Hood's Sarsaparilla.

## \$5 MACINAC

And Return.

C. H. & D. & D. & C. STEAMER.

(PERSONALLY CONDUCTED TOUR)

On Thursday, August 23, the C. H. & D. & C. Steamship Co. will give their Annual Mackinac Excursion at the low rate of Five Dollars for the round trip. These are given to familiarize the people with great lakes and Michigan as a health and pleasure resort. Students and children traveling alone can participate in this excursion with perfect safety, free from worry and enjoy a genuine pleasure trip. A regular employee of the C. H. & D. Ry. will conduct the party. Special train will leave C. H. & D. Ry. Cincinnati, 9:00 a. m., Dayton, 10:00 a. m., Toledo, 11:00 a. m., and on Lake St. Clair about a short time after arrival. Arrive Detroit and visit city same evening. The Alpena leaves following morning for Mackinac. A daylight ride through the St. Clair Flats to Port Huron, thence into the broad waters of Lake Huron. Mackinac Island will be reached noon Saturday. Special rates for Hotels to excursionists. Only \$3 more to MARQUETTE than the Mackinac rate. Side Trip to "Soo" \$2; to Snow Islands, \$1. Secure your state rooms early. Circulars and information on application to agents C. H. & D. Ry. and agents for connecting lines, or address D. G. EDWARDS, Pass. TRAFFIC MANAGER, CINCINNATI, O.

Young People

FREE: \$20.00 in GOLD, scholarship in Daingerfield's Business College, Nashville, Tenn., or Texarkana, Ark. Also, \$20.00 in most any reputable business college or mercantile school. To be conducted by young people at home. Address Youth's Advocate, Pub. Co., Nashville, Tenn., or Daingerfield's Business College, Texarkana, Ark.

The business illustrated edition of the Hopkinsville Kentuckian last week was the handsomest, most pleasant and really artistic special number of a country newspaper that was ever issued in Kentucky. Charley Meacham who has always been in the front rank of country journalism has just cause to be proud of his special edition, but it was only Charley's way of always doing something when he started out on that line.—Shelby Courier.

"The Richest College in America" has its story most interestingly set forth by word and picture in the September number of Demarest's Magazine. It will be a distinct surprise to know that this title is not to day of our best known college, but is held by one which is doing a great work in a quiet way. The account of it will be attractive to every man and woman interested in American educational life.

Results of Magisterial Conventions Held Saturday August 11th.

South Hopkinsville, S. G. Buckner, Magistrate, W. H. West Constable, Longview, T. M. Barker, Magistrate, Ben Williams, Constable.

Peckville, W. L. Parker, Magistrate, B. H. Carroll, Constable, Union School House, M. B. King, Magistrate, John Williams, Magistrate, John Walker, Constable.

Scates' Mill, David Smith, Magistrate, John Walker, Constable.

Scates' Mill, (Except Luttrell), T. P. Dunning, Magistrate, Jno. W. P. Pool, Constable.

The other Magisterial districts had expressed choice for Magistrates and Constables previously by primary convention.

The above report is by order of County Democratic Committee at its last regular meeting August 2nd, 1897.

This August 23, 1897.

Geo. E. GARY, Secy. C. D. C.

A MARRIAGEAL Expert.

BELLOMILLE, Ky., Aug. 21.—Jas. Morelith and Miss Ella Simpson, of Stinking Creek, were married to day.

Meredith, a thirty-one years old man, a deposed member of the community, Miss Simpson is his eighth wife, all of whom are living in this county, he having obtained divorces from his seven former wives.

## SLIPPER CUT.

WE HAVE PLACED ON SALE

THIS WEEK

OUR ENTIRE LINE OF

Ladies and Childrens Oxfords and Slippers.

Childrens Oxfords Tan and Black 75, 50c.

Childrens oxfords Tan and Black 1.25, 85c.

Womens Oxfords Black 75c, 50c.

Womens Oxfords Black 1.00, 75c.

Womens Oxfords Black, 1.30, 1.00.

Childrens Oxfords Tan and Black 1.00, 60c.

Womens Oxfords Black 75c, 50c.

Womens Oxfords Black 1.25, 85c.

Womens Oxfords Black, 1.30, 1.00.

These prices are made to move this line of goods out of the house.

All Honest Made Goods.

MAMMOTH CLOTHING & SHOE CO.

## A FARMER'S EXPERIENCE.

An Interesting Account of How Corn Land

Wheat Was Made to Yield 22

Bushels per Acre.

A South Christian farmer was in our office Friday, July 23, and stated that he sowed 72 acres of corn land wheat; on 63 acres he sowed Armer Bone Meal 100 lbs. to the acre. Nine acres were sowed without fertilizer. The 63 acres and the 9 acres were all in the same field and was the same grade and character of soil. Sixty-three acres produced 11 bushels more per acre than the 9 acres that were not fertilized. He figured the investment out as follows: Fertilizer used was Armer Bone Meal. He used 100 pounds per acre on 63 acres. This cost \$1.50 per 100 pounds or \$94.50 for 63 acres.

He sold his wheat for 65 cents per bushel and gained 11 bushels per acre on 63 acres by using the fertilizer, or 693 bushels. This at 65c per bushel equals \$450.45. Fertilizer 6300 lbs at 1.50 cost 9450 Net profit from using fertilizer \$355.95

And that is not all; he was told by the parties who received his wheat it was the best No. 2 wheat they had received. This gentleman's name will be furnished our patrons on application and his statements are borne out by the man who threshed his wheat. He says that he has used this brand of fertilizer for two years with the same satisfactory results.

This is one of many similar instances we could cite of advantage of judicious fertilizing. A careful test will bring you the same results.

Yours Truly,

Forbes & Bro.

George Washington Cayce was born in Virginia, May 15th, 187, and died, at his home near Beverly, Christian county, Ky., July 29th, 1897. He was ninety years, two months and fourteen days old.

Ninety years is a long time for a man to live, and Bro. Cayce lived to see wonderful changes in the affairs of this world. He and Longfellow, the poet, were born the same year, and Longfellow has been in his grave fifteen years. James Russell Lowell, Charles Dickens, Robert Browning, Darwin, Herbert Spencer, Alfred Tennyson and Ruskin were born after G. W. Cayce was, and he was thirty years old when Victoria the grand Queen of England. When G. W. Cayce was born electricity was in its infancy and the telephone was unknown. The first steam boat in America was placed on the water in 1807, the year he was born, and he was twenty nine years old when the first railway was put into operation in the United States. Twenty two presidents have ruled in the United States since his birth, and only three are now living. He was born in the days of slavery, and was a strong advocate when the Emancipation Proclamation was signed. He was a soldier and plow the mowers, the self binder and the steam threshing machine of ninety years ago. He saw the old spinning wheels, run by hand, and steam factories and sewing machines of the same period.

He was a member of the Christian church, and a pioneer in the Reformation of this century. In his latter days he frequently spoke of his early associates in the church, of their difficulties and triumphs, with the greatest admiration and rejoicing in the hope of uniting them "beyond the river." He had certainly been a student of the Bible, as he could quote large portions of both the Old and New Testament with perfect ease, and in his way he was a preacher of the gospel.

In some respects he was certainly a remarkable man:

1. He was remarkable for his physical strength. He was very energetic and industrious, and superintended all of his business affairs including his farms until about a year ago.

2. When he started in the world he had nothing but a few dollars in his pocket, but he accumulated a considerable amount of wealth and was well informed on political, business and religious subjects.

3. He was a man of very strong intellect. His memory never forsook him to the last. The thing he ever said that was understood was spoken in a whisper, and it was a quotation from the Holy Scriptures.

4. He was married twice, and to him and his first wife were given fifteen children, nine are dead and six are still living. He had fifty five grandchildren, twenty-one dead and thirty-four living, and twenty-seven great grand children, six dead and twenty-one living.

His second wife was Miss Guyon, of this city, who ministered to his every want in his declining years and was by his side when he breathed his last.

Bro. Cayce had some peculiarities growing out of his early education, which are recognized by his children and the community, but I have no desire to speak of them here. He confessed his imperfections freely and frankly, and was a source of much pleasure to his children and friends of various nationalities who lived according to what he believed to be right. All of his living children and many of his grand and great grand children are members of the church, and they should remember and imitate every good and noble trait in the life and character of George Washington Cayce.

T. D. MOORE.

**THE SURE ENOUGH RED MEN.**

Hopkinsville On Their Long March to Ruin

Oak Lodge, I. T., Aug. 21.—Extensive preparations are going on among the Cherokee Indians for a pilgrimage to Russellville, Ky., about Sept. 20. Charles Parker, a nephew of the celebrated Geronimo, of the Quanah Parker tribe, has just returned from Franklin, Ky., where he has been to secure permission for 1,200 Cherokee braves to march into the State and hold a week's celebration in honor of Chief Watahona, at a place three miles distant from Russellville, where the great warrior is said to have been killed in 1849, in a battle with the Shawnees.

In September, 1,000 of the tribe, accompanied by Capt. Raleigh, will begin the long march to the old battlefield and carry with them all the cowboy legends and war stories of old Cherokee days, which they will deposit on the grave. The party will cross the Mississippi into Illinois at Chester, and will leave Illinois at Shawneetown.

From Shawneetown the most direct course would be by the way to New Orleans, Mississippi, and Hopkinsville and Elizabethtown. The tollgates surrounding Hopkinsville would probably keep them from coming this way, unless the turnpike company will agree to open the gates to the visitors.

Joe Kenneworth will be taken to Louisville from Bardstown to answer a charge of murder, Max Wiley having died of his wounds.

Mrs. Mary B. Thompson was arrested at Terre Haute, Ind., on the charge of burying her baby boy alive.

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From Bell.

Bell, Aug. 20.—Again we are asking for space in your paper to relate news items that have transpired in our locality since we last paid you a call.

Clower building is in full blast about here and is making a very good yield. Mr. Douglas Bell made 46 bushels c in a field that contained about 28 acres. Others are doing most as well.

The Bethel Association was held at Salem church near here, on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, last. A large crowd was in attendance each day.

The heat continues to advance and the farm products have not sold as fast as were anticipated, or, if at all, while the others, or most of them, at least, are feeling just a little sore over having disposed of theirs so early.

Mr. Douglas Bell leaves for the University of Virginia in September, where he will study law. We regret giving him up, but wish for him much success in his chosen profession.

Mr. Jno. W. Garnett attended the Centennial last week.

Mr. L. A. Tugge visited relatives in Trig county the first of the week.

Miss Lula and Besie Richards, of Hopkinsville, are visiting Mrs. Lizzie Clardy.

Miss Julia Westbrook returned to her home in West Point, Miss., after a month's visit to Miss Mary Clardy.

Miss Mary Fox, of Howell, is visiting her sister, Mrs. T. F. Clardy.

Miss Maggie Rivers is in Nashville.

T. M. Barker of Kennedy, was nominated for magistrate and Ben W. Williams, of Oak Grove, for constable of this district, on last Saturday.

Watermelons are very plentiful this season. Several of our near neighbors have very large patches.

No teacher has been selected for this school as yet. Dr. Jno. P. Bell has been appointed trustee in the place of Douglas Bell, who resigned. It is to be hoped they will soon elect a good one and have school to start at the proper time, as school in the country never amounts to a great deal after Xmas, for the weather is usually so cold that the little ones can not attend.

Cheep Round Trip Rate to Chicago.

Tickets will be sold from Hopkinsville to Chicago, via Louisville, E. & T. H. R., for \$8.00, Aug. 28th, and will be good returning Aug. 31. This is a very low rate, and all who desire a trip to Chicago should take advantage of it. For further information see agents of connecting lines.

## Where They Will Teach

The following is a list of white teachers in Christian county with the number of district in which they teach, and post-office address for the school year 1897.

1. Miss Anna Fones, Crofton.
2. Miss Gertrude Keith, Kelly.
3. M. A. Brown, Crofton.
4. Chas. Croft, Crofton.
5. Miss Lillie Ray, Johnson's.
6. Miss Berta Hiser, Era.
7. R. A. Cook, Larkin.
8. M. G. Gilby, Blythe, city.
9. Miss Jennie West and the
10. Miss Minnie Stevens, Ben-
11. Miss Minnie Sinking Fork.
12. Miss Carrie Brasher, Crofton.
13. Geo. Cranor, Macdonald.
14. Miss Hester Knight, Church Hill.
15. U. L. Clardy, Fee Dees.
16. Miss Georgia Motley, Fee Dees.
17. Miss Minnie Stevens, Ben-
18. Miss Maggie Tucker, city.
19. T. W. Butler, Kirksville, Mar-
20. Miss Lula Earl, Fruit Hill.
21. Miss Emma Stevenson, Empire.
22. Miss Anna H. Lafayette.
23. Mrs. Minnie King, Pon-
24. Mrs. Nannie P. Keith, Mar-
25. T. B. Walker, Bainbridge.
26. Miss Edwin Elliott, city.
27. Miss Lula Earl, Fruit Hill.
28. Miss Emma Stevenson, Empire.
29. Miss Anna H. Lafayette.
30. Mrs. Mary Murphy, Crofton.
31. Miss Kate Clark, Pon-
32. Mrs. Olive Morris, Rogers,
33. Mrs. Lizzie Smithson, Haley's Mill.
34. Miss Miss Griffin, Pon-
35. Mrs. Dolie Maire, Haley's Mill.
36. Miss Helen Wood, Sinking Fork.
37. E. L. Gutes, Kirksville.
38. L. W. Guthrie, Clardy.
39. Miss Nora Williamson, Cera-
40. Miss Jimmie Jenkins, Haley's Mill.
41. W. B. Gray and Miss Mar-
42. Miss Mary McCulloch, Gracey.
43. J. G. Wright, Johnson.
44. Mrs. Mattie Doss, Sinking Fork.
45. G. Clifton Long, Howell.
46. Miss Nora Greer, city.
47. Miss Florence Buchanan,
48. Miss Mandie Blaine, Clardy.
49. Miss Lizzie Owen, Sinking Fork.
50. Miss Louise McClanahan, city.
51. Mrs. T. W. Butler, Kirksville.
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## I'D LIKE TO HELP YOU, JOE.

The sun was just brightly down  
Over lonely field and starry crown  
The drowsy drooped her starry crown  
A thrill for falling rain—  
With him his master, his farmer came  
With weary step and slow—  
To meet his wife's low-spoken words:

He has forgot the cloudy sky,  
The parched and burning soil,  
His heart forebore an uttered sigh  
For looking in her smiling face  
With joy that few may know,  
He'd like to help you, Joe.

And I, who stood an alien there,  
In silence turned away,  
But in my heart repeated a prayer  
That I might help him, too,  
When weary I should homeward turn,  
Some heart would love bestow—  
Would like to help you, Joe.

—Lalla Mitchell, in *Farm and Home*.

## A MOUNTAIN LION.

BY WILLIAM M. CARY.

A few years after gold was discovered in Montana, I found myself, for the second time in my life, in the vicinity of Prickly Pear canyon, through which now passes the Northern Pacific railroad.

There was not a cabin within 100 miles excepting a ranch where I remained for two weeks. In the early days this was built by a square man, who, at the time of the Fur company which had several posts on the Missouri, was quite a power in that country. He was a simple soul, and was led by one, though his unpopularity did not last long, as he was killed by an Indian boy—but, to come back to my story, the present owner of the ranch and I were talking of some of our hunting experiences. The conversation had turned to mountain lions, as lately there were many in the vicinity.

The ranchman, a few days previous, had lost a valuable colt, it being killed by one of those prowling creatures. The colt had been drinking at a stream not over 500 yards from the ranch, when a powerful lion sprang from an overhanging tree upon the little animal's back. The old mare was feeding only a short distance from the colt at the time, and, hearing its cry of distress, rushed forward and attacked the panther with such fury that the latter was compelled to sneak off and leave its prey, but not until the poor colt's neck had been broken, causing it to die instantly.

Early in the spring of that year the same ranchman, who was a hardy frontiersman, had bent out for two days hunting up some cattle which had strayed off during a windstorm. The fellow was just entering home, and saw his wife and little boy, the old girl down the old cabin which used for a cowshed. The mother was milking a cow close by a haycock by the barn, and the child was playing near her. It was a murky morning; the mist had not yet cleared away.

The father, after turning his horse loose, was just in the act of throwing away some water from the basin in which he had been washing, when he casually looked in the direction of the old cabin, and, to his horror and consternation, he saw a pair of panthers looking down as they crouched in the haycock and were preparing to spring upon the unsuspecting mother and child. There was not a minute to be lost; he must act at once, or it would be too late. Quick as thought, and with the nerve and alertness only an old frontiersman can show, he grabbed his Winchester, which was standing against the door, and, fearing the larger of the two beasts, which was in advance, would spring before he could shoot, took a quick aim, without aiming his rifle to his shoulder, and fired. The panther was in the very act of springing, and as he half bent his head to a heat at the mother's feet. The shot started off in a mad run, kicking over the pail in its rapid flight. The wife and child were speechless with fright, and stood trembling with fear. The dead panther's torso skinned off, but not until it had a full life.

After reassuring his wife there were no more danger the ranchman started in pursuit of the wounded panther, which was limping and making slow progress toward the forest on the mountainside. After a short chase the hunter overtook the beast and killed it by firing two more shots from his rifle. This narrative made me afterward keep my eyes open and on the lookout, should I happen to run across any mountain lions during my sojourn in this region.

A few days after our conversation I was in a small party hunting for antelope, which, the ranchman said, although they had been very plentiful, were now becoming scarce in the neighborhood. We had seen a small herd of the pretty creatures, but they were very shy, and to approach within shooting distance it required great caution on our part.

We all rode horses and had ridden no mounts, not knowing at what moment we might fall in with some of Sitting Bull's warriors, and it depended more on fast horses than arms. We kept together as much as possible, but became separated in chasing the game. Not that we followed them on horseback, for we had

skipped our horses and were "still" hunting. Each man for himself tried to approach the game by stealth.

It was an exceedingly hot day, and the heat from the prairie was rising in what appeared to be tremulous waves above the bunch-grass and sage-wood, making objects at the distance of a thousand yards look as if they were trembling in the glow of a fire. I was crawling thus a group of half dozen men, rope and dragging my rifle after me in the grass.

None of my companions were in sight. The game was very restless, and I was anxious to locate the other hunters so as not to stray away from them, for the pleasure of hunting antelope was not so great that I wished to take chances of meeting any Indian single-handed. Therefore I decided to risk a long shot and get away. My gun was a navy carbine, and could carry a great distance. Although having a more modern gun, my carbine was a great favorite of mine, having used it more and making some excellent shots, it very naturally was preferred by me when hunting game.

The antelope were about 600 yards and that seemed to be as near as I could approach. I tried all sorts of maneuvers to arouse the curiosity of the game, such as flagging and waving my moosefeet fast in the air, by holding my feet over my head, but all seemed to no effect. So I raised my carbine and fired at the foremost one, which was facing me. At the first shot all the others who had about, and I saw the one nearest me had been hit; his leg was dangling as if his saddle were broken.

Just at this moment I saw something which made me start in wonder and surprise and stand gazing after the retreating game. In the uncertain light it looked to me as if another antelope had jumped upon the one with the broken leg, and was making off with it. It filled me with astonishment, and I was bound to unravel this strange mystery; so quickly running to where my horse was picketed, I mounted and galloped after the antelope. As I gained on it I was enabled to solve the problem and understand the strange scene. A large panther had jumped on my game, seeing it was disabled, and was carrying it off toward the mountains. Reining in my horse, I dropped another cartridge in my rifle, half for a moment and sent a ball after the animal. It dropped my game, which I soon had across my saddle, and made a quick run to camp.

When I reached the spring near which we had picked our horses I found only one of my companions had returned. I told him of my experience. He laughed and said: "Oh, that's a fishy story." But I soon convinced him of its truth by showing the marks of the panther's teeth in the neck of the antelope, which had broken.

We were both very hungry and knew the others would be when they returned, so started a fire and began cooking. The rest of our party came in about an hour afterward, and to our surprise we saw one had a mountain lion's skin behind his saddle besides an antelope. It seemed he had been hunting north of me two or three miles, and was stalking a small band of antelope, evidently part of the bunch I had come across, which had been separated by the mountain lion. He had noticed something moving among the antelope, which they seemed to avoid, and about their color, but paid little attention to it, as he was trying to get a shot at one of the creatures. They were very wild, and this seemed almost impossible to do, but after several attempts he succeeded in shooting a buck, after which he took the shortest route for camp.

The trail followed a washout the edge of a little sandstone bluff which rose from the prairie in irregular forms. The bunch grass grew in patches and in great profusion. As he was riding along the trail something seemed to move through the bunch-grass. His horse snorted a few times and turned his head which from a sense of caution more than fear, caused him to draw his revolver and carry it in readiness for an emergency, he being a particularly good pistol shot from the saddle, an excellent rider and a man of great experience. In passing along a turn in the trail under the edge of a sandstone ledge, he was suddenly startled by hearing the growl of a large panther, which was crowding in the act of springing upon him. It took but a second to realize his position. The horse sprang forward with a bound which would have thrown many a man from the saddle, though he was an excellent horseman. The mountain lion had risen and was flying through the air as the bullet from the hunter's revolver went crashing through his brain, and in a second it was crashing in agony upon the iron. My property is not for sale under "loss conditions," said his lordship, turning to the amusement of the pony, who flung a "stuck-up beggar" after the retreating figure.—London Cor. Chicago Times-Herald.

## Rich in Oriental Literature.

It is not surprising to learn that the library of the British India office, now being catalogued, contains the most complete collection of oriental literature in the world, as it represents the accumulation since 1859 of the East India company, which founded Queen Elizabeth's time a commercial company for the exploitation of the East Indies, became about 1700, a regular department of the British government, supervising the affairs of her majesty's oriental colonies.

In making up their profit and loss account it is said that Parisian warehouses have to allow for thefts, and that this item is the most important one with some of the larger houses.

—Palermo, Sicily, has an average of 167 cloudless days a year and 63 days of partial cloud and partial sunshine, which elsewhere would be classed as fine days.

This was probably the same animal which had tried to carry off my antelope a few hours before.

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known to be very savage and ravenous, and requires plenty of meat, especially when they have young, and large quantities of prairie chickens are destroyed by them.

The rest of our party, who had returned to camp, had only succeeded in bagging a few jack rabbits and some prairie chickens.

The next morning we went to the cage and endeavored to catch the cubs, but all to no purpose. They were evidently feeding upon the skinned carcass of their mother, and our approach slunk off into the cave.—N. Y. Ledger.

## TO CURE APPENDICITIS.

A New and Efficacious Remedy for a Prevalent Disease.

As is well known, one of the fin de siecle diseases is appendicitis. You are walking along the street, apparently in the best of health, when suddenly your physician confronts you, gazes at you with a glittering eye, puts his hand on your pulse as you put your hand in your pocket, and tells you that you have appendicitis. You feel very much up about it. Sometimes you get well and sometimes you do not. If you do not, you must look for your life's appendix in another world and trust that the probity of your career will prevent the appendicular adjument from being veriform. And as the physician consoles you with the thought that your martyrdom is near, when you are asked to get out an appendicis, will also do much for the repose of the medical societies, you lament the day when green apple colic took on a La-

pe. But there is hope for the appendicitical. A marriage that occurred at Stamford, Conn., recently opened a door of safety. A lady of Brooklyn was married to a gentleman of South Beach. They had been engaged, and with the trusted spirit of betrothal she visited his parents. Whether love, with its opening of all the capacities of the nature, had increased her susceptibility may not be known, but internal inflammation developed outside of her heart, and the physicians pronounced it appendicitis. An operation was declared necessary. Then did the heroic fidelity of woman assert itself. The doctors might give her the cut direct, but she would not eat her fiance directly or indirectly. So she asked that they might be married. The doctor of divinity took the place of the doctor of the other kind, and the marriage was performed. The next day the lady began to recover rapidly.

Meanwhile the appendicitis disclosed the date God had led in the appendicitis. This was a principle of homoeopathy established. The date's infliction was cured by naming the date by a young woman who was up to date.

But the chief development is the discovery of the new and efficacious remedy for a sadly prevalent malady. If suffering from or in danger of appendicitis, try marriage. If it will not cure, it may at least make death more tolerable.

Connecticut deserves the gratitude of humanity. The inner channels of the sound have disclosed new hope for the inner channels of the unsound. Marriage may be a blind process of the soul, but love itself is blind and the veriform appendix is a blind process of the body.—Troy (N. Y.) Times.

## Things the Car Conductor Answers.

There is no way of foretelling what a woman will not ask of a car conductor or a policeman, hence it behoves men of these pursuits to post themselves upon all subjects from the proper method of holding a baby to the dimensions of the statue of Liberty. Only the other night a confiding young woman in a party of three beckoned the conductor to her and inquired in the most confidential tones whether he considered it proper for her and her companion to go to the roof garden unattended by a man; and when he assured her that in his opinion it was perfectly proper, she brightened a sigh of relief and got off the car with her friends at the entrance of that place of amusement.

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## Passes Were Paid For.

Complaints from stockholders have been filed against the Western railroad of France to recover some curios fees about four years given to the pass. Passes were issued in 1896, which, if paid for, would have added to the receipts of the company \$33,000 francs; to compensate this the news papers printed free advertisements for the railroad which would have cost it 1,634,000 francs.

The most curious thing in the world is a woman who is not curious.

Economy and strength are com-

## TRACKING A CHILD.

A Bloodhound is Not Always a Fierce Beast.

So many terrible stories of the power of bloodhounds have been told that it is refreshing to read a true story of a chase by a bloodhound in which the hunter and the hunted were equally satisfied.

The bloodhound was enjoying a stroll with his master on the sands of Weston-super-Mare, quietly following the horse his owner rode.

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## ALASKA'S TEMPERATURE

It Reaches Fifty-Nine Below in the Klondyke Region

Only Four Hours of Daylight in Winter and Seven Summer-Sixty-Four in Chief Month of the Weather Barren.

Under the direction of Secretary of Agriculture Wilson, Chief Master of the Bureau, has made a statement in regard to the climate of Alaska. In this statement Mr. Moore says:

The climates of the coast and interior of Alaska are unlike in many respects and the differences are intensified in this, as particularly in the interior, by extreme physical conditions. The fringe of islands that separates the mainland from the Pacific ocean, from Dixon sound north, and also a strip of the mainland for possibly 20 miles back from the sea, following the coastline, block and intercept the influence of the coast as well as the interior, which is the western extremity of Alaska, form a distinct climatic division which may be termed temperate Alaska. The temperature rarely falls to zero; winter does not set in until December 1, and by the last of May the snow has disappeared except on the higher ground. The winter temperature of Sitka is 32.5, but little less than that of Washington, D.C.

The rainfall of temperate Alaska is notorious the world over, not only on account of the quantity, but also as the manner of falling, viz, in long and incessant rains and drizzles. Cloud and fog are almost constant, being on an average, 60 clear days in the year.

North of the Aleutian Islands the climate becomes more rigorous in winter, but in summer the difference is much less marked.

The climate of the interior, including that designation practically all the country except a narrow fringe of coastal margin and the territory before referred to as temperate Alaska, is one of extreme rigor in winter, with a frost but relatively hot summer, especially when the sky is free from clouds.

In the Klondyke region in midwinter the sun rises from 9:30 to 10 a.m. and

It is always gratifying to receive testimonies for Chamberlain's Colic, Colitis and Diarrhea Remedy, and when the endorsement is from a physician it is especially so, for it is an endorsement or a certificate of confidence more than Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhea remedy, as many writers, Dr. R. E. Robey, physician and pharmacist, of Oney, Mo., and as he has used the Remedy in his own family, so well, in his drug store for six years, should certainly know. For sale by R. C. Hardwick, Hopkinsville, Ky.

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Distrusting Kidney and Bladder diseases is lived in six hours by "NEW GREAT SOUTH AMERICAN KIDNEY CURE." This new remedy is a great success on account of its exceeding power and rapidity in removing the symptoms of the disease in both male and female. It relieves retention of water and pain in passing it almost immediately. If you want quick relief and cure this is your remedy. Sold by R. C. Hardwick, druggist, Hopkinsville, Ky.

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When I served my country as a private in the 10th U.S. Cavalry, Pennsylvania Volunteers, I contracted chronic diarrhea. It has given me a great deal of trouble ever since. I have tried a dozen different medicines and several prominent doctors without any permanent relief. Not until I was introduced to the special bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhea Remedy, and after that I bought and took a full bottle; and now I can say that I am entirely cured. I cannot be thankful enough to you for this great Remedy, and recommend it to all suffering from chronic diarrhea. Please write me.

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The changes of temperature from winter to summer are rapid, owing to the great increase in the length of the day. In the winter the days are short, 8 a.m. and sets about nine p.m. In January it rises about 1:30 in the morning and sets about 10:30, giving about 20 hours of daylight and diffuse twilight the remainder of the time.

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## HERE AND THERE

— Grapes bags for sale at this office. A fine shower fell in the city Sunday afternoon.

—Leave your work at Hille's Excelsior Laundry.

Born to the wife of Mr. A. S. White, on the 19th inst., a boy.

—Dr. E. N. Fruitt, Dentist, office over City Bank, Hopkinsville, Ky.

Dr. E. N. Fruitt, continuing a second story in his cottage residence on South Virginia Street.

—DUG has a \$3000.00 worth of first-class city property for sale or exchange for farm or good paying hotel. Answer this office.

Union services were held at the Tabernacle Sunday night, conducted by Eld. H. D. Smith, of the Christian church.

—Inconvenience of water during sleep stopped immediately by Dr. E. Dutton's Anti-Diuretic Cure. Children and adults alike. Price \$1. Sold by R. C. Hardwick, Druggist, Hopkinsville, Ky.

Rev. C. H. Nash, of the Baptist church, returned from his summer vacation, and occupied his pulpit Sunday morning.

The Bethel Baptist Association will go to the polls on the 9th of October. The vote between Allensville, Todd county. The vote between Allensville and Olivet was very close.

Thieves broke into Dr. W. H. Foy's residence near Elmo last week, while the family was absent, and ransacked the place.

Dock Bond was arrested Friday for selling whiskey without license in Hopkins county. Deputy Sheriff Goaly took him to Madierville, where he succeeded in getting the indictment dismissed the same day and was released.

Mr. G. W. Scruggs, one of our prominent men, has accepted a position with Forbes Bros. of Hopkinsville, as foreman of horse shoeing department. Mr. Scruggs began work the 16th and moved his family the twentieth.—Penbrooke Review.

—A fine farm, belonging to the estate of P. A. Watkins, deceased, will be sold at public auction at the court house door, Hopkinsville, Ky., on Monday, the 6th day of September, 1897. This is one of the finest farms in Christian county. You should not miss this sale.

W. J. Davis has been appointed by the Illinois Central management as chief train dispatcher of the Evansville district of the Louisville Division, with headquarters in Henderson. The selection is a most excellent one. As Mr. Davis is a man of great ability with requisites that go to make up an official that this office demands. Both he and the management are to be congratulated.—Gleaner.

## PERSONAL Gossip

Miss Willie Ridford has returned to Chicago.

Mr. F. T. Gorman, of Jackson-Tenn., is in the city on business.

Mr. and Mrs. John Y. Owsley went to Nashville yesterday to visit the Centennial.

Mrs. Chas. Slusher and children are visiting Mrs. D. Franklin on North Main street.

Mr. B. J. Mathews, who has been on the road for several months, returned Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Burbridge, of Fort Worth, Texas, spent last week on a visit to relatives in the city and vicinity.

Mr. W. C. Graves, of Weatherford, Texas, is in the city on a visit to his son, Mr. Chas. E. Graves. Mr. Graves is a dry goods merchant in this city twenty years ago.

## MATERIAL

JOHNSON-RICHARD.—Mr. Sauford Johnson and Mrs. Lillian Richards, both of Pembroke, were married in this city Saturday morning, at the residence of Dr. A. K. Nunn. Rev. H. D. Smith was the officiating clergy man.

The widow of the builder of the Ferris wheel was married in Pitsburgh to Francis Schlater, the so called diving healer.

ROYAL  
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Absolutely Pure.

Celebrated for its great leavening strength and healthfulness. Assures the food against rancid and all forms of adulteration common to the cheap brands.

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## Malling a Letter



Just think what Uncle Sam will do for two cents! He will take a letter safely across this continent, over mountains, through valleys and gorges, and deliver it to the door with dispatch and safety.

And all this is done for two cents. Uncle Sam may demand higher rates, but a simple, plain, unadorned envelope and order of dealer in and holder of leaf tobacco.

Aug. 18, 1897. The offerings this week were an improvement over those of the previous week, but not better. The market, however, was irregular. At times prices ruled firm and somewhat stronger, while at other times prices dropped from one to two cents, apparently the same tobacco. The market, however, was good for good medium to fine tobacco, but unadorned and nondescript has but very few friends. Since Spain has ceased buying them they are taken by speculators as they are held until Spain shall want more, as it is only a matter of about two weeks before the market will be under new contracts, and the Regal buyer will be apt to put prices up on all tobacco suitable for her purchase before making new contract.

Weather conditions have been very bad and favorable since our last report as the rains have been rather heavy. Corn and tobacco are needing moisture very badly at the latter part of crop. We are informed some of the early tobacco will have to be cut the latter part of this month or first of next. The worms are very numerous, and out in full force, so that the tobacco will be damaged unless treated as the forces are not sufficient this year, as our farmers have been fortifying themselves ever since last year and hope to be able to exterminate that generation forever.

WEEKLY REPORT  
Receipts for week..... 245 bbls  
" " " " 16665 bbls  
Sales " " week..... 224 bbls  
Offerings " " week..... 398 bbls  
Rejections for week..... 175 bbls

QUOTATIONS on 1896 crop.

Low leaf.....	\$ 1.25	High leaf.....	\$ 1.75
Common lugs.....	1.75	High lugs.....	2.50
Middle lugs.....	3.00	Good lugs.....	4.00
Common leaf.....	4.00	High leaf.....	5.50
Middle leaf.....	5.00	Good leaf.....	8.00
Good leaf.....	8.00	Fine leaf.....	10.00

and Bank Stock.

Money loaned at 6% interest in sums of \$1,000, and upwards on good farms in Kentucky and Tennessee not exceeding 40 percent of appraised value. Dwellings to sell or rent.

WALTER F. GARRETT & CO., Financial and Insurance Agents.

Lime for Fertilizer.

We are making farmer's special low prices on lime for fertilizing purposes. Many farmers are now using lime on their farms with great success.

Quotations on lime are as follows:

Low leaf..... \$ 1.25

Common lugs..... 1.75

Middle lugs..... 3.00

Good lugs..... 4.00

Common leaf..... 5.00

Middle leaf..... 6.00

Good leaf..... 8.00

Fine leaf..... 10.00

Up Stairs in Henry Block, Op. Opera House.

I Can Sell

you and will do it if you will come and see me.

I am prepared to do Undertaking in all its branches. I am also

a practical EMBALMER. Refer you to those that have seen my work.

A. W. PYLE.

# The Beginning Of The End..

This week makes the beginning of the end of this season's selling at this store.

Price concessions rule throughout the house.

Many Wonder sale offerings still on.

Many others in addition.

Reasons multiply why you should come here.

# BASSETT & CO.

## DEATHS.

## EXAMINED TOO CLOSELY.

## A Supposed to be Two-Cent Old Violin

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## to be furnished to Western

## Kentucky Asylum for Insane,

## Henderson, Ky., to be paid in

## goods to be paid in kind.

## All goods to be first class in

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## For many years science has studied

## liquors. Result—The whole world uses them.

## It has been proven the best

## and easiest drink for nerves and tissues like corn wine and other

## drugged compounds. And HARPER WHISKEY is the ideal whiskey.

## For sale by W. R. LONG,

## HOPKINSVILLE, KY.

## Everybody Should Read Their

## Home Paper.

## Here's a chance to read it for nothing.

## Do you want the semi weekly Kentuckian delivered FREE to you for 10

## days? We will send you the goods to the amount of \$3.00 (three dollars),

## and the paper will be delivered to

## your address free of charge.

## Tickets given with each ten cent

## purchase. We carry a full line of

## every thing usually found in a first

## class drug store, and the very best

## quality. We have our

## prompt and careful attention at all

## hours, day or night. Telephone 149.

## We kindly solicit your patronage.

## Very Respectfully

## L. P. MILLERS,

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